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In re Patent Application of:
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For: PLACING A TASK OF A MULTITHREADED
ENVIRONMENT IN A KNOWN STATE

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL
ACTION**

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1-66, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.